



## **AEROSMITH FASTENING SYSTEMS**

### **TECHNICAL BULLETIN #108**

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## **Negative Wind Load Comparison Fastener Values @ Gypsum Sheathing (Allowance loads in PSF)**

	<b><u><sup>1</sup>Aerosmith GripShank®</u></b>	<b><u><sup>2</sup>ITW Buildex Gypfast</u></b>	<b><u><sup>3</sup>ET&amp;F Panelfast</u></b>
<b>18 Gauge</b>	25.5	24.0	20.0
<b>20 Gauge</b>	24.7	N/A	24.0
<b>22 Gauge</b>	24.7	N/A	N/A

### **Sources:**

<sup>1</sup> Progressive Engineering Inc Test Reports 2003-509A & B

<sup>2</sup> ER6070 Evaluation Report; Page 2; Table 1

<sup>3</sup> ER5585 Evaluation Report; Page 2; Table 2

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